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Madam Speaker:

The Health and Human Services Committee reports a favorable recommendation on **H.C.R. 2**, CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO REDUCE OBESITY IN UTAH, by Representative S. Barlow, with the following amendments and recommends it be placed on the Consent Calendar.

- 1. Page 3, Lines 64 through 71:
 - WHEREAS, individuals from ages 2 to 28 consume 365 calories per day on average
 - 65 from added sugars, more than double the discretionary calorie allowance in the 2010 Dietary
 - 66 Guidelines for Americans; and
 - { 67 WHEREAS, sweetened beverages account for 22% of empty calories in children's
 - 68 diets; and
 - 69 WHEREAS, individual effort alone is insufficient to combat obesity's rising tide, and
 - significant societal and environmental changes are needed to support individual efforts to make
 - 71 healthy changes:

Respectfully,

Paul Ray Committee Chair

Voting: 7-0-2







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